**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Paragraph beginning on page 4, at prenumbered line 12, has been amended as follows:

The transmission mechanism mainly includes a housing 5 having an internal passage ~~51, through which the scaled rod 2 is extended to associate with the housing 5.~~ 51. The scaled rod 2 is inserted into the internal passage and selectively movable in forward and rearward directions. The housing 5 is then pivotally fixed to the operating handle 7 with a rivet or screw ~~6 to locate~~ 6. The screw 6 is located below the supporting point 71 of the operating handle 7. The housing 5 ~~is also internally provided at a position above the scaled rod 2 with an upper cavity 3 obliquely extended~~ includes an upper cavity 3 communicating with the internal passage 51 and located above the scaled rod 2. The upper cavity 3 extending upwardly from the internal passage 51 in a predetermined ~~rearward and upward~~ rearwardly and upwardly direction, so that a lower open end of the upper cavity 3 is communicating with the internal passage 51. When the operating handle 7 is pivotally pulled backward, the housing 5 ~~is brought to move~~ moves backward at the same ~~time.~~ time, and pivots relative to the operating handle 7. The transmission mechanism also includes a lower cavity 4 located in the clamping device 1 below the scaled rod 2 and in front of the upper cavity 3 by a predetermining distance. The lower cavity 4 is obliquely extended ~~rearward and downward~~ rearwardly and downwardly at a predetermined angle and has an upper open end. Both the upper and the lower cavity 3, 4 have a steel ball 8, 81 and a compression spring 9, 91 sequentially positioned therein, such that the steel balls 8, 81 are normally pushed ~~forward~~ forwardly by the compression springs 9, 91 to respectively contact with the upper and lower sides of the scaled rod 2, as well as inner surfaces of the open ends of the upper and lower cavities 3, 4. Due to the obliquely extended cavities 3, 4, the steel balls 8, 81 pushed forward by the compression springs 9, 91 to firmly press against the upper and lower sides of the scaled rod 2 allow the scaled rod 2 to move rearward but not forward. That is the ~~forward~~ forwardly pushed steel balls 8, 81 function like braking devices to prevent the scaled rod 2 from moving ~~forward.~~

in the forward direction. When the operating handle 7 is pulled backward and the housing 5 ~~is brought to move~~ moves backward at the same ~~time,~~ time by the operating handle 7, the scaled rod 2 inserted through the internal passage 51 of the housing 5 and tightly contacted with the steel balls 8, 81 is therefore ~~brought to move backward along~~ moved backwardly with the housing 5.